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**GOVERNOR KENNETH MAPP THANKS 31<sup>st</sup> LEGISLATURE  
ON CONFIRMATION VOTE**

**(July 30, 2015, St. Thomas, US Virgin Islands)** Governor Kenneth E. Mapp expressed his gratitude to the members of the 31<sup>st</sup> Legislature on their vote this evening to approve fifteen of his nominees for Cabinet and Board positions.

“I want to thank all fifteen Senators for their thorough evaluation and careful consideration of each and every nominee. It is now time to move forward; we have our Professionals in place to tackle the issues ahead of us,” stated Governor Mapp.

The nominees receiving approval letter were Mr. Valdamier O. Collens, Commissioner - Department of Finance, Mrs. Beverly Nicholson-Doty, Commissioner – Department of Tourism, Mr. Milton Potter, Director – Division of Personnel, Mr. Carlos Robles, Commissioner – Department of Agriculture, Mr. Devin Carrington, Commissioner – Department of Licensing and Consumer Affairs, Mr. Marvin Pickering, Director – Bureau of Internal Revenue, Mr. Gustav James, Commissioner – Department of Public Works, Mrs. Vivian Ebbesen-Fludd, Commissioner – Department of Human Services, Mrs. Dawn Henry, Esq., Commissioner – Department of Planning and Natural Resources, Mr. Nellon Bowry, Director – Office of Management and Budget, Mr. Richard Doumeng, Member – Virgin Islands Taxicab Commission, Mr. Frederick Joseph, Member – Public Employees Relations Board, Mr. Randolph Bennett, Commissioner – Department of Property and Procurement, Mr. Cedric Armstrong, Member – Virgin Islands Taxicab Commission, and Mrs. Deborah Howell, Adjutant General – Virgin Islands National Guard.

Governor Mapp once again thanked his Cabinet Member and Board Nominees. “Although this has been an arduous process, I must thank each nominee for their commitment to serve the people of the US Virgin Islands”, concluded Governor Mapp.

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